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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, XF, XS, US

SUBJECT: SWISS INQUIRY RE PLO STATUS

REF: USUN 0092

1. COUNSELOR EGYPTIAN MISSION VOLUNTEERED THAT PLO REP (PRESUMABLY DAOUD BARAKAT, PRESS ATTACHE YEMENI MISSION) WAS EXPLORING WITH SWISS AUTHORITIES AT BERN HOW GOS MIGHT REACT TO A REQUEST FOR OPENING PLO OFFICE AT GENEVA.

2. SWISS REPORTEDLY REPLIED THAT THEY WOULD FIRST LIKE TO KNOW WHAT US HAD DONE RE PLO AT NEW NEW YORK, BUT ADDED THAT THEY WOULD NOT NECESSARILY FEEL BOUND TO FOLLOW US FORMULA. SPEAKING PERSONALLY, SWISS OFFICIAL THEN OBSERVED THAT IF CALLED UPON SWISS AUTHORITIES WOULD HAVE "NO DIFFICULTIES" IN WORKING OUT ARRANGEMENTS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF AN OFFICE WITHOUT OFFICIAL STATUS THAT WOULD ALLOW PLO TO CARRY OUT ITS RESPONSIBILITIES AS OBSERVER IN CERTAIN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS. PLO REP IS SAID TO HAVE INSISTED THAT ANYTHING LESS
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